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Letter dated 3 November 1995 from the Permanent Representative of Cyprus to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

I have the honour to transmit herewith the section on the question of Cyprus from the final communiqué of the 11th Conference of Heads of State or Government of the Movement of Non-Aligned Countries, which took place at Cartagena, Colombia, from 18 to 20 October 1995 (see annex).

I should be grateful if you could have the present letter and its annex circulated as a document of the General Assembly, under agenda item 55, and of the Security Council.

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ANNEX

Section on Cyprus from the final communiqué of the 11th Conference of Heads of State or Government of the Movement of Non-Aligned Countries, issued at Cartagena, Colombia, on 20 October 1995

The Heads of State or Government reaffirmed all previous positions and declarations of the Non-Aligned Movement on the question of Cyprus and expressed deep concern over the fact that no progress had been achieved in the search for a just and viable solution. They reiterated their support for the sovereignty, independence and territorial integrity of the Republic of Cyprus and their solidarity with the people and the Government of Cyprus.

They called once again for the withdrawal of all occupation forces and settlers, the return of the refugees to their homes in conditions of safety, the restoration of the human rights of all Cypriots and the accounting for those missing.

Proceeding from the position that the present status quo in Cyprus created and maintained by the use of force is unacceptable, they stressed the need for securing compliance with and implementation of all United Nations resolutions on Cyprus. To that end they further stressed the need for the Security Council to take resolute action and the necessary measures, including the holding of an international conference and steps for the demilitarization of Cyprus, as proposed by the President of Cyprus.

Furthermore, expressing their concern at the continuing lack of political will on the part of the Turkish side, as confirmed in the report of 30 May 1994 of the Secretary-General of the United Nations (S/1994/629), they reaffirmed their support for the Secretary-General's efforts for a just and workable solution, as provided in Security Council resolution 939 (1994), for a bi-zonal and bi-communal federation, with a single sovereignty, citizenship and international personality and with political equality, as described in the relevant resolutions of the Security Council.

In this respect, they decided to request the contact group of the Non-Aligned Countries actively to follow and support the United Nations efforts for the solution of the Cyprus problem.